



September Dates

09/04/23

**Labor Day
No School!**

09/06/23

Vision Screens

09/15/23

**Picture Day!
EARLY RELEASE!**

09/29/23

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RELEASE**

Staff In-Service

Principal's Message

Hello Burke Basic Families! We are off to a great start this year! Students are learning so much already and are getting used to their routines here at school. Please remember to read with your students at least 20 minutes each day to help achieve our school-wide reading goals! We thank you for all your support and look forward to a productive year!

Picture Day!

This Friday, September 15th will be picture day at Burke Basic School! Please send your order form with exact change to your student's teacher.

Uniforms must be worn on Picture day!

Student Meals

Remember your school meals are free for all Burke Students this year. If your student wishes to bring his own lunch from home, please send it in with them in the morning.

Transportation

Parents, to change your child's mode of transportation for the day, **you must leave a message with our transportation department.** After calling the main extension, press 1 for the transportation department.

Clearly and slowly provide the following information:

1. Student First & Last Name (include siblings)
2. Teacher Name (s)
3. Parent pick-up and/or bus #



You must call **before 1:30 p.m.** in order for us to relay the message to students, teachers, and bus drivers.

Health Office News

School-Wide vision screenings: Wednesday, September 6th the Lions Club will be conducting vision screenings for all of our students. Please remember to wear your glasses if you need them.

Immunizations: All 11 year old students need to have their 11 year old shots in order to stay in school. If your child is turning 11 please have shots completed. If you have any

PE & Appropriate Clothing

Our PE Coach, David, asks that we please remind students and parents to make sure the children wear appropriate clothing on their Physical Education day.

Dresses and skirts with no leggings underneath make it almost impossible for the girls to do much during PE. The same is true for shoes that are not athletic and might prevent a child from fully participating in class.

Sweaters/Dress Code

Reminder that sweaters worn in the classroom must not have any language, pictures or images on them. Red, white or navy blue are the required colors. Please mark all clothing in permanent marker on the tags so lost items may be returned.

September Character Trait

Habit 2

**Begin with the end in Mind:
Have a Plan**

- I plan ahead and set goals.
- I do things that have meaning and make a difference.
- I am an important part of my classroom and school.